GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

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OVER-BRIDGE ON NH IN GORAKHPUR
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Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to construct over-bridges on railway crossings falling under Gorakhpur district on NH-28 and reconstruct the damaged Maheswara bridge on NH-29(E) which connects Gorakhpur with Sonali;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the time by which the construction works of the proposed over-bridges are likely to be completed?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIYAPPA)

(a) to (c): There are two existing railway level crossings falling on NH-28 in Km 244 & Km 270 in Gorakhpur District. ROB in place of existing level crossing in Km 244 is under progress with target date of completion as December 2008. Another ROB as part of Gorakhpur Bypass Project (Km 251.70 to Km 279.80 of NH-28) is also under construction. There is no proposal for construction of ROB at existing level crossing in Km 270 of NH-28, as the stretch will be bypassed.

Regarding reconstruction of damaged Maheswara Bridge on NH-29E, State PWD (who is maintaining the section with funds provided by NHAI) has been requested to investigate and submit the estimate for reconstruction of above bridge.